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Two Millions For Va. Dowell Bill To Pass

Little River Turn Pike--Washington-Richmond Highway Both To Benefit

SENATE SURE TO APPROVE

Representative R. Walton Moore, Being Interviewed By a Gazette Man Today Gave Out the Following Information of Interest to Alexandrians:

"The passage a few weeks ago by the House of the Dowell bill, reported by the Committee on Roads, and the present consideration by the Senate of the Townsend amendment to that bill, make practically certain the continuance of Federal Aid to the States for the construction of highways. The radical change in the existing plan proposed by the Townsend amendment is the substitution of a Federal Commission of three for the Bureau of Public Roads, headed by Mr. McDonald, whose assistant is Captain Wilson, of Virginia, which has been working in close cooperation with the State Highway Commission, but the Senate on Wednesday approved the change by a vote of 45 to 15, which practically disposes of that matter. The other changes contained in the Townsend amendment, some of which will be approved, and some disapproved, by the Senate, are not so material as to prevent the two Houses

from getting together, or to put the important features of the existing plan of Federal Aid in any danger. The situation is now such as to warrant the confident prediction that either before Congress takes a recess, or if not then, very quickly after it reconvenes, there will be agreement on a bill that will definitely fix the Federal Aid plan in substance what it now is as the future policy of the Government, leaving its administration to the Bureau of Public Roads, under the supervision of the Agricultural Department, and with provisions that will insure maintenance as well as construction of roads. The bill, which will pass, in pretty certain to carry an additional appropriation for the current fiscal year of one hundred million dollars, of which there will be allocated to Virginia considerably upwards of two million dollars."

BACK FROM SOUTH AMERICA

Robert S. Barrett On Visit To His Old Home
Robert S. Barrett, first vice-president of Portals & Co., Ltd., international bankers and brokers, of Paris and Buenos Aires, arrived in Alexandria yesterday from his home in Buenos Aires, Argentina. Mr. Barrett will spend a few days here before returning to New York, where he will be located this winter. Mrs. Barrett and daughter, Viola, are in New York, but expect to visit Alexandria in October.

Sunday School League.

St. Paul's 6; First Baptist 5.
St. Paul's Sunday school team at their attractive new uniforms got off to an early lead in yesterday's game with the First Baptist in the Sunday School League, scoring five runs in the first inning, on two singles, a three bagger by G. Phillips and two bases on balls and an error. Ayers started pitching for the Baptists but gave way to Trenary in the first inning, and did not score again until the sixth. Both teams played good ball, the Baptists making one error and St. Paul's two.

Score by innings:
First Baptist 020 200 1-5
St. Paul's 500 001 *-6
Batteries: First Baptist, Ayers, Trenary and all; St. Paul's, L. Hayden and Newton. Struck out by Trenary 8; by Hayden 6. Bases on balls off Ayers 2; off Trenary 1; off Hayden 1. Umpire Entwistle.
A lot of interest is being taken in these games and a large crowd of rooters of each team were present. First Baptist and the M. E. South, will play Wednesday beginning at 5:15 sharp.

Standing of the Teams.
Wor. L. P.C.
First Baptist 7 4 636
M. E. South 7 5 585
Trinity, M. E. 6 6 500
Second Baptist 4 9 307
Second Section.
St. Paul's 2 2 500

"Beer" Kills Man.

Pottsville, Pa., Aug. 20.—Frank Speno, a young steel worker died from drinking "medicine" in beer, according to evidence given to a coroner's jury here today. John Spanallo, a New York man, whose whereabouts cannot be ascertained, gave Speno both the beer and medicine and got \$700 of his money.
According to physicians, the medicine consisted of chloral "knockout drops."

STORY TO KILL MRS. STILLMAN WAS FAKE

Kansas City, Mo., Aug. 20.—Sam Harris, a waiter, who today signed an affidavit that he was one of several men employed to kill "Mrs. Stillman," confessed tonight, police announced, that his story was fictitious.

Harris was arrested at the office of a local newspaper, which today published his story in a copyrighted article. He told the police that he was

anxious to get back to New York and thought his story would be sufficiently plausible to warrant his return there by the authorities.
Harris' affidavit gave details of the alleged plot, for which he asserted, the gunmen were to receive \$25,000. The man is being held here for further investigation.

STATE NEWS

Roanoke.—The Lutheran Synod of Southwest Virginia today at its final session here authorized the expenditure of \$25,000 for the erection of a church at Lynchburg. They created a fund of \$50,000 for a professorship at Roanoke college. Bluefield was selected as next meeting place.

Lynchburg.—Local women who fought for the ratification of the 19th amendment to the United States Constitution will meet in Lynchburg August 25-26 to celebrate the first anniversary of that event, the meeting to be under auspices of the Virginia League of Women Voters.

Fredericksburg.—Mrs. Frank C. Baldwin, president, and Mrs. John T. Goodrick, vice president, of the Women's Peace League of Virginia, have left for Canada, opposite Niagara, to attend the conference of the Canadian and American representatives of the peace league. Mrs. Baldwin and Mrs. Goodrick will be absent about a week.

Charlottesville.—The report of the Hospital Board of the University of Virginia Hospital for the year July 1, 1920-July 1, 1921 shows a substantial increase in the service rendered the State in medical and nursing attention to citizens over preceding years.

Richmond.—Henry W. Anderson, Republican candidate for governor of Virginia, will formally open his campaign with an address at Lexington on September 5, Joseph L. Crupper, state chairman of the party, announced at headquarters today. Mr. Anderson may make some speeches in response to invitations before that time, but the Lexington meeting will be the real start of the campaign, and from that time to election day Mr. Anderson will be constantly on the go.

Lynchburg.—The Lynchburg Post-American Legion, has named a committee to confer with other organizations here to seek cooperation in the entertainment of the meeting of the State division here next year. If this support is promised, and it is confidently expected, the delegation to the meeting in Norfolk in September will be instructed to invite the State convention here for 1922. A. B. Carter, J. E. Canada, C. F. Everett and E. H. O'Brien will be the delegates from the local post.

Danville.—A writ of attachment was served Wednesday on Mike Nicholas, a Greek, who is held in jail charged with shooting and wounding Miss Minnie Rudder in the basement of his confectionary establishment last Sunday. The wounded girl is better and will probably get well. Attorneys were retained yesterday and instituted suit against the Greek when it was learned that his friends had begun moving his property out of the State and were engaged in converting it into money. The attachment prevented this from being done.

Winchester.—There was a sudden cessation of swimming and bathing in the Shenandoah river near Harper's Ferry, W. Va., this week, when it became known that an alligator had escaped from a show and had crawled into the stream. Those with and without bathing suits made a frantic scramble for the shore, leaving the alligator in full control of the stream. "Snapper" Roderick, a local fisherman, was sent for, and the reptile finally was hooked and dragged ashore only slightly injured. It has been added to Leo O'Brien's museum at Harper's Ferry.

Lynchburg.—Randolph-Macon Woman's College here, according to Dr. Dice R. Anderson, president, is being besieged by girls from all parts of the country who desire to enter the college. Dr. Anderson announces as many applicants have had to be rejected as those accepted because of lack of accommodations. With adequate facilities the college could easily have accepted 1,200 students for the coming session.

Lynchburg.—O. A. Thomas, business agent for the Virginia Farmers' Educational and Co-operative Union, and N. B. Rue, field agent for the farm bureau, will meet farmers here next Thursday at the Chamber of Commerce to explain the plan of pooling the commercial fertilizer orders through the Producers' Co-operative Exchange in Richmond. The arrangement is to buy fertilizers for the farmers in less than carload lots without compensation. Similar meetings are to be held at Manassas Monday, Staunton, Tuesday and East Radford, Wednesday.

Winchester.—A perfectly formed snake, three inches long was found lately in the yolk of a hen egg at Levels, Hampshire County, W. Va., according to Dr. Hannum, a well known physician of that place. Dr. Hannum said he visited one of his patients, and finding him convalescent, and his appetite increasing, the doctor prescribed a boiled egg. On breaking the shell, the doctor said, he was astonished to see the tiny snake come from the center of the yolk. When the discovery was reported to the patient's wife she recalled having seen a large blacksnake crawling away from the henery a day or two previously. It is thought the snake charmed the hen, "marking" the egg with a live snake simultaneously.

FIREMEN WILL TROOPS FIRE WILL AGREE GO MONDAY

Fifty To Attend State Convention In Lexington Next Week.

EXPECT 50 IN PARTY

Will Entrain At 9:17 A. M.—Columbia Company Will Have Reel In Big Parade.

More than fifty firemen from the three fire companies of this city will entrain at 9:17 o'clock Monday morning for Lexington, Va., to attend the annual meeting of the Virginia State Firemen's Convention which will be held Wednesday, Thursday and Friday.

The members of the Columbia company will carry with them their old hand reel which will be decorated after they arrive in Lexington, and which company will compete for a prize in the big parade with their reel which will be handsomely decorated. Members of this company have been working hard for the past two weeks with the decorations to go on the reel. The Alexandria firemen will be accompanied on the trip by Fire Chief Edward J. McDermott.

The delegates and alternates chosen by the respective companies follows: Relief truck and engine company No. 1, C. H. Jones, William Ebbhardt, Arthur Skillman, B. K. Lucas; alternates, E. G. Pullman, H. W. Rudd, Bernard Padgett, John McCuen. Columbia company No. 4, Norman Roberts, president; Justus Schneider, Ernest Duffey, Clarence Metzger, John Edmunds, George Simpson, Eugene Wells, Joseph Padgett, Ralph Parlow, Leonard Ford; alternates, Leo Deeton, Harold Wells, Julian Davis, Frank Nowland, Clarence Bartlett, Carl Metzger, Anthony Baciaglupe, Claude Haynes, Marshall Cook. Reliance company No. 5, Andrew T. Sullivan, H. C. Padgett, Nelson V. Washington, W. S. Snoots, alternates, A. W. Embrey, Norman Simpson, W. E. Dunn and W. L. Simpson.

By special arrangements with the Southern Railway Company the firemen will have a special car and will entrain promptly at 8:30 o'clock on their which will be on Henry street between King and Prince streets, and this car will be attached to the regular train which will leave at 9:17 o'clock. All who will attend will meet at their respective engine houses promptly at 8 a. m.

Col. Robert W. Woolley Opens Law Office

Washington, Aug. 20. Hon. Robert W. Woolley, formerly a member of the Interstate Commerce Commission, and Director of the Mint, has opened a law office in the Continental Trust Building, Washington, and will practice and act as special consultant in matters before the several commissions and departments of the Government.

Steel Corporation Again Cuts Wages.

New York, Aug. 20.—Another wage reduction of approximately 20 per cent was announced today by the United States Steel Corporation, and brings the day labor rate down to 30 cents an hour. This makes a total decline in wages during the last four months of 45 per cent. It is the second direct reduction since May 1, and time and a half for overtime was abolished on July 16.

Judge Gary in announcing the reduction said: "In view of the prevailing low selling prices of steel, as compared with costs of production, it is necessary to make the reduction."
The reduction comes as a surprise, as all recent reports from steel centers led to the belief that operations were increasing.

Suspect Holds Key To Seven Gang Murders.

New York, Aug. 20.—Information that may solve seven gang murders committed in Detroit since 1916, was obtained yesterday from Bartolo Fontano, under arrest in connection with the activities of the "Good Killers," according to Lieutenant Detective D. A. McPherson, of Detroit, who gave the prisoner a severe grilling. "Fontano told me," McPherson said, that he knew how the Detroit jobs were done. Most of these murders were of the automobile variety, done by gangsters in cars, who got away. We arrested one man, but he was tried and acquitted."
The detectives said Fontano declared he knew the members of the murder band, but denied he had taken part in the crimes. The prisoner admitted, McPherson said, that he had set a couple of fires in Detroit within the last two or three years.

Twenty Wounded and Two Seriously When Crowd Crosses "Dead Line."

TWO WOMEN SHOT

Man Sought Colored Man—Suspected Criminal Assault On School Teacher.

Knoxville, Tenn., Aug. 20.—More than 20 persons were wounded, two seriously, last night, when deputies guarding the Knox County Jail fired on a crowd which had crossed a dead line, with the purpose of demanding Frank Martin, a negro held as a suspect in a criminal assault upon a county school teacher.

All of the wounded are white. Two are women. Deputy Sheriff Charles Lewis was wounded in the arm by return fire from the crowd. Although the machine-gun company of the One Hundred and Seventeenth Infantry, Tennessee National Guard, was on duty at the jail, the soldiers did not open fire.

Following reports that the school teacher had identified Martin as her assailant, crowds gathered in the vicinity of the jail, which was guarded by national guardsmen and soon started down the hill on Main street leading to the jail. They were turned back twice by police.

Gradually about 200 men and boys approached the jail, while several hundred other persons, many of them women, in the courthouse yard looked down upon the scene. As they came within 100 feet, Sheriff Cato stopped order and are light and demanded that they disperse. He gave warning that an imaginary line between two telephone poles should not be crossed.

As a dozen men passed these poles the Sheriff picked up a shotgun and fired over the heads of the crowd into the air. Four deputies who were with him then fired two volleys. Two men in the court house yard and two or three in the street fired revolvers in reply.

The shooting then became general, deputies firing rapidly. Many of the loads of buckshot fired by the officers and intended to go about the heads of the crowd in the street went among spectators in the courthouse yard. One or more of the officers at the jail opened fire with rifles and revolvers also, as some suffered wounds from bullets of large calibre.

In the courthouse yard scores of themselves to the ground to escape the hail of bullets coming in that direction, while the crowd in the street ran back, panic stricken, and the deputies charged, firing over the heads of the crowd and driving all of them back to Gray street, a block from the jail.

Barnstable, Mass., Aug. 20.—Sheriff Irving L. Rosenthal late last night asked for State troops to help guard the county jail here, where three negroes are held on charges of highway robbery and assault upon a young white woman. He had received a report that a party of negroes was being organized at Onset to come here and try to free the prisoners.

The request for troops was received at the summer camp of the Second Field Artillery, Massachusetts National Guard, at West Barnstable, and efforts were immediately made to obtain the approval of Brigadier General Sherburne.

The sheriff sent an investigator to Onset to determine whether the report of a rescue party was well founded. The prisoners, John Dies, Benjamin Gomez and Joseph Andrews, were in separate parts of the jail last night. Fifteen men were on guard to assist the sheriff as a precaution against a possible renewal of the attack made on the jail early today by a mob which threatened to lynch the negroes. Late last night there were few persons in the vicinity of the building.

At midnight 40 artillerymen arrived from the National Guard summer camp at West Barnstable and were drawn up about the jail. Four machine guns were set up.

The Sheriff, just after their arrival, received word from a County Commissioner that two automobile loads of negroes were touring the negro district in that village in an effort to gain recruits for a dash to the Barnstable jail. Onset is about 20 miles from here, on the north side of the Cape Cod Canal.

CITY NEWS IN BRIEF

Mr. S. A. Mellott, with his mother and sister, will leave Sunday for Harrisonburg, Va., where they will spend their vacation.

Dr. J. S. McDonald, of Washington, is now occupying his summer cottage at Mt. Ida.

Judge C. E. Nicol has returned to this city after attending the Baptist Association at Oakdale Church.

Miss Magdalene Conlin has returned to her home in Mt. Ida, after a two weeks' visit with relatives in Mississippi.

WILL AGREE ON MOB ON BEER BILL

May Mean Partial Rejection of Stanley Amendment.

DELAY IN MEASURE

Enactment of Measure Before Congress Takes Recess Wednesday, Thought Doubtful.

Washington, Aug. 20.—Senate and House conferees were reported last night to be virtually agreed on contested points in the Anti-Beer bill and hopeful of final enactment of the measure prior to the recess set for next Wednesday. While the conferees declined to indicate the nature of the agreement, their practical adjustment of differences was taken to mean, at least, partial rejection of the Stanley amendment, designed to protect the home against indiscriminate search for liquor in view of the known desire of Representative Volstead, head of the House managers, to "throw the Beer bill overboard" rather than accept the amendment as originally drawn and passed unanimously by the Senate.

That part of the Stanley proposal relating to search a man's dwelling was said to have been retained, however. Mr. Volstead's chief objection to it as a whole was based on the ground that to require a warrant to search an automobile, or other property, would make rigid enforcement of national prohibition ineffective.

When Senator Sterling, Republican, South Dakota, left his office for the night he announced that there was strong probability of agreement. Later he conferred with Mr. Volstead, who was standing out for amendments to the conference report would be ready and signed today.

Although both Senator Sterling and Mr. Volstead were determined to press for early action on the conference report in event of its presentation to the Senate tomorrow, they expressed some doubt as to their ability to obtain a vote by both houses in time to send it to the President on Wednesday.

A spokesman by one of the conferees, the proposed compromise is on the basis of about an even split on the Stanley amendment, part of which will be retained and the other part rejected. Mr. Volstead, however, has held firm to his determination not to accept the provision requiring a warrant to search automobiles, for example, contending that "they are the heart of the bootleg traffic." In standing out for elimination of this feature of the amendment, House prohibition leaders admitted the possibility of decided Senate opposition, but despite that they were said to be unwilling to take it as a whole.

B. F. GOODRICH DIES

Benjamin Franklin Goodrich, 60 years old, for many years blind, died last night after a long illness at his residence, 912 Duke street. His funeral will take place at 4 o'clock Monday afternoon from his late residence and burial will be in the Methodist Protestant cemetery.

TEXAN IS FLEECE OF THOUSANDS WHILE FULLFILLING DEATH BED VOW

Uniontown, Pa., Aug. 20.—Local and State police are making a determined effort to locate the man or men who fleeced John Sameke, of Texas, out of a sum said to be between \$25,000 and \$50,000, while he was fulfilling an obligation, for a wrong done by his father. Incidentally the police are also searching for Sameke who, in his zeal to recover his money, took up the trail of the man or men who victimized him and has not been seen since.

Friends of Sameke sought the aid of the police when he failed to appear at his stopping place, after telling them that he had been swindled out of a very large sum of money, and did not intend to rest until he had recovered it, so that he could fulfill to the last penny his father's obligations to his church.

Several men who have received sums running from \$100 to \$200 vouch for the statement that Sameke had \$25,000 in cash in his pockets and a certificate for \$100,000, which his father on his death bed had asked him to distribute in Fayette county. According to the story told by Sameke to the persons to whom he gave the money, his father while residing in Fayette county several years ago defrauded a contractor out of \$1,000. On his death bed the

For this section—Partly cloudy and warmer today, followed by showers tonight and tomorrow; cooler tomorrow.
High tide tomorrow, 9:31 a. m. and 9:37 p. m.

WASHINGTON DAY BY DAY

(From Our Special Correspondent.)

Washington, Aug. 20.—The confusion in the ranks of the "dry" forces in Congress may mean the defeat of the anti-beer bill or at least its failure to become a law before the recess, scheduled for August 24. In such event, it is certain that regulations prescribing the methods by which physicians may issue beer prescriptions will be promulgated by the Commissioner of Internal Revenue. This feature of the present mix-up in Congress is giving no end of worry to Wayne B. Wheeler and other officials of the Anti-Saloon League. They are bending every effort in the hope that Congress will pass the anti beer bill before the recess and that it will become a law by the signature of President Harding.

Alliance Impossible.

So far as the United States is concerned, a formal alliance between this government, Great Britain and Japan for the maintenance of peace in the Far East, is an impossibility. The suggestion was made by Lloyd George, British Premier. The traditional policy of the United States, opposed to the entrance of this government into formal alliances of any kind would make such a union out of the question, the Gazette correspondent learned today at the State Department. However, an understanding between these three and other governments on principles and policies to be followed to maintain order in the Far East and to eliminate causes of friction would not be difficult to reach, it was said.

Wood May Quit Army.

Major General Leonard Wood may be compelled to resign his commission in the army if he accepts the tender made to him as Governor General of the Philippine Islands.

While the Senate passed the Wadsworth bill permitting General Wood to accept the post of Governor General of the Philippines and at the same time retain his rank and standing in the regular army, the proposed legislation has struck a snag in the House. Despite the efforts of Secretary of War Wood to get the House to act favorably upon the measure, it seems now that there is very little chance of such action. Therefore, if General Wood wants to be Governor General of the Philippines, he will have to give up his place in the army. Secretary Weeks believes that he will be perfectly willing to make this sacrifice.

Want Wood In P. I.

Manuel Quezon, president of the Philippine Senate, was a caller at the White House today. Quezon was asked what he thought about the appointment of General Wood as Governor General of the Philippines.

"If he was good enough for many of your people to vote for President," was his reply, "he should be good enough to be Governor General of our islands."

Gasoline Production Increases.

According to figures made public today by the U. S. Bureau of Mines, the production of gasoline in the United States for the first six months of 1921 amounted to 2,573,543,547 gallons, an increase of 18 per cent. over the production for the same period in 1920. Imports of gasoline for the first half of 1921 were 14,835,056 gallons or 32 per cent. less than the imports for the corresponding period in 1920. The domestic consumption of gasoline for the first six months of 1921 amounted to 1,998,689,989 gallons which was an increase of 8 per cent. (Continued on Page Two.)

The dying man did as he was told and his son, John, came to this city where, according to his instructions, he began carrying out his father's request.

After leaving Fayette county the elder Sameke purchased property in Texas for a small amount. Later five or six oil wells were drilled in on his property and the old man was soon worth over a million dollars. Practically all of his property was inherited by his son.

When last seen here the Texan was in company of gamblers, who had succeeded in gaining his confidence. Shortly before this, it is said, Sameke had told several of his loss and of his intention to get his money back. When advised to seek the aid of the police, he stated: "If preferred to go for it myself, and that someone would pay dearly for their work."



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TODAY'S THOUGHT

It has been a thousand times observed, and I must observe it once more, that the hours we pass with happy prospects in view are more pleasing than those crowned with fruition.

Oliver Goldsmith.

PLAY BALL!

Under the above caption the Manufacturer's Record publishes in its number of August 18th, what may be termed a front cover editorial. It sings a song of optimism and does it well. It instances the unprecedented building of schools and churches in the South now going on. It lays stress on the fact that many of the churches are larger and costlier than ever before, with possibly one exception. Churches costing a quarter of a million are becoming an everyday occurrence. Some are planned that will cost from a half-million up, and one will cost a million or more. Schools are being erected at a rate never before seen in the South. All this, says the Manufacturers Record, despite the talk of pessimism and poverty. The same spirit, it continues, can be made to quicken the life of all the business activities of the South.

The further assertion is made that we have reached the limit of low prices. "The man who wants to build, whether it be a chicken-coop or a garage, a dwelling or a hotel or an office structure, can, we believe, do it to better advantage today than a twelve month hence." Although not always in accord with Mr. Edmonds, we are in hearty agreement with his views as just given. The indomitable southern spirit is at work, preaching, planning and doing. Its effects are beginning to be visible and tangible. No section of the United States will be more advantaged than the South in the era of prosperity that is just over the horizon.

Here in Alexandria we have already discounted the future. For some eight months past we have preached prosperity, we have planned works reaching far into the future, and we have wrought vigorously in the present.

We are projecting a 90,000 dollar school house. Our merchants have just effectuated the biggest Dollar Day in their history. Alexandria has been made the chief wool entrepot in the state. The plans are nearly completed for the ferry across the Potomac that shall open to this city a market on the Maryland side of the river, with thousands of new people traveling and trafficking back and forth. A daily delivery service to Camp Humphreys, Accotink, the government industrial institution and Occoquan, is being projected by the mer-

chants. Building is going on vigorously, new residences in the suburbs, new apartment houses in the city, new stores opening up, and a general air of industrial activity that offers a most cheering aspect.

"Get to work"—says Brother Edmonds, of Baltimore. We have done so. "Sing a song of optimism and put it into practical operation." We have done this, too!—"Play ball in business with the enthusiasm you root for your home team." This is Alexandria, all over! Our motto is: "Boost, don't knock." And our slogan: DO IT NOW!

WASHINGTON Day by Day

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cent. over 1920. The stocks of gasoline on hand June 30, 1921, were 750,644,450 gallons or 49 per cent. larger than the stocks a year previous.

Smoke Smokes!

The American people smoked 43,000,000,000 cigarettes during the year 1920, according to a preliminary report on tobacco production in the United States just made public by the Census Bureau. During the same year the combined production of cigars in registered factories and in bonded manufacturing warehouses numbered 8,720,754,000. There was in addition 113,891,000 pounds of chewing and smoking tobacco and snuff produced in the United States for the year 1920.

The United States government received from the State of Virginia as revenue from the production and sale of tobacco and its products \$20,721,000.

MODERN GIRLS CALLED BRAZEN BY WOMAN 97.

Lynn, Mass., Aug. 20.—"The girls of today are brazen jades," declared Mrs. Hannah Stone Preble, of Marblehead, who yesterday observed, with her husband, Samuel S. Preble, the 70th anniversary of their marriage. "I do not agree with the women of today that short skirts, bobbed hair and high heeled shoes are conducive to good health. Low heels for

shoes, long skirts and regular hours are the best rules for health I can give."

On the Cabot farm, in Salem, Mr. and Mrs. Preble followed the present day custom of wedding parties by forsaking their home on Lincoln avenue in Marblehead and going to a quiet spot, where they kept in seclusion from those who wished to extend congratulations. Despite every precaution for seclusion, several hundred friends found them yesterday. Mrs. Preble, born on July 4, 1833, seemed not in as good health as her husband, who was born on December 13, 1823, for the latter went into the garden, dug potatoes and husked the sweet corn, which Mrs. Preble cooked for their guests.

"Short skirts are something which should never be worn," said Mrs. Preble. "I never wore a short skirt. Perhaps if I had, I would not be as healthy as I am today."

ZION JAILS 'EM IF THEY EXPOSE THE CLAVICLE.

Zion, Ill., Aug. 20.—Mrs. Elizabeth Naden, of Zion, was arrested today by Policeman Isaac Parry for wearing a dress, the neck of which was cut so low, according to the complaint, as to "partially show or expose the neck and shoulders of the wearer lower than the juncture of the pit of the neck with the clavicle or collar bones."

She is the second woman to be arrested since Wilbur Glenn Voliva, overseer of Zion, issued his law against immodest dress. The ordinance declares such clothing "if worn in public or in places within public view, shall be deemed immodest, vulgar, indecent and suggestive of low and vicious morals, and tending to debauch innocence and purity and degrade the best interests of society."

WIFE CLAIMS HER HUSBAND MADE \$500,000 BOOTLEGGING.

New York, Aug. 20.—"When I protested to my husband against the business he was in he told me I should be proud to be the wife of a bootlegger," Mrs. John T. Vannatta, of Brooklyn, testified in her suit for separation today. She said her husband had made \$500,000, and boasted that he would be a millionaire before the end of this year. The couple, who have been married only six months, had been living at the rate of \$15,000 a year. Mrs. Vannatta asked for \$2,000 a month alimony, but the supreme court justice granted her temporary alimony of \$500 monthly until the case is finally adjudicated.

Read the classified ads in the Gazette for good results.

LEGION HONORS MONK WHO FIRST THOUGHT OF AMERICA.

Paris, Aug. 20.—The man who was responsible for the naming of the Western continent America was honored by the American Legion yesterday. The ceremony took place at St. Die. The delegates of the American Legion who are touring the battlefields as guests of the French government were received at St. Die by municipal officials and escorted to the home of the monk, Waldsee Muller, where a memorial tablet was installed.

It was Father Muller who suggested that the American continent be named after the explorer, Americus Vesputius, or Vespucci, as the name is also spelled.

PROPERTY OWNERSHIP A BULWARK AGAINST RADICALISM

"Just as bolshevism is the menace of capital, so is property ownership the most successful answer to the wild socialistic theories of government which are the products of brains disordered and demoralized. The old principles upon which this government was founded have proven themselves to be workable and fundamentally sound enough to maintain the happiness of a liberty-loving people. We need no radical changes; we welcome no foreign theories aimed at the disruption and corruption of our social and political structure."

"The mission of the banker in the solution of this vexing problem is the direct one of encouraging hard work and intelligent saving on the part of the individual. The man with a savings account becomes the owner of a home, and the home owner, as a rule, has no sympathy with the theories of the dissatisfied leader."

VIRGINIA.

In the Clerk's Office of the Corporation Court of the City of Alexandria, on the 18th day of August, 1921.

Fannie Spencer, complainant vs. Bring Spencer, defendant. In Chancery No. 1767.

MEMO.

The object of this suit is to obtain for the complainant a divorce a vinculo matrimonii from the defendant on the ground of wilful and voluntary desertion and abandonment for more than three years prior to the institution of this suit, and for general relief.

It appearing by an affidavit filed in this cause that the defendant Bring Spencer is a non-resident of this State: It is Ordered, That said defendant appear here within ten days after due publication of this order, and do what is necessary to protect her interest in this suit.

Edmund Hill, Jr., P. Q.

A Copy Teste.

NEVELL S. GREENAWAY, Clerk.

198-4wp By Ashby E. Bladen, deputy clerk.

who is anxious to turn everything upside down that he and his associates may enjoy those very benefits, possession of which by others he now condemns.

"Do not," discouraged, starving Austria yielded not to bolshevism and drove Bela Kun and his associates from her doors largely because her people had been taught to be industrious and had been accustomed to save. Thrift in Austria was the nation's salvation, and if it were an efficacious remedy under the conditions which existed there after the armistice, it can surely successfully cope with any similar revolutionary movement that may arise in this country of ours where we have been taught to rely with confidence in every emergency upon the good sense of the average American citizen."

Thomas B. McAdams, Vice President of the Merchants National Bank of Richmond, in the Journal of the American Bankers Association.

ANSWERING THE ALARM

Alexandria People Should Not Delay If your kidneys are inflamed, Don't stand around and do nothing. Like a fire it will soon be beyond control.

You will get the alarm in time—Backache, or dizziness or disorders of the urine.

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Give your kidneys a rest by living more carefully.

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VIRGINIA.

In the Clerk's Office of the Corporation Court of the City of Alexandria, on the 18th day of August, 1921.

Garvin C. Bain, complainant vs. Frances Sheers Bain, defendant. In Chancery No. 1769.

MEMO.

The object of this suit is to obtain for the complainant an absolute divorce from the bonds of matrimony from the defendant on the grounds of wilful and voluntary desertion and abandonment for more than three years prior to the institution of this suit, and for general relief.

It appearing by an affidavit filed

in this cause that the defendant Frances Sheers Bain is a non-resident of this State: It is Ordered, That said defendant appear here within ten days after due publication of this order, and do what is necessary to protect her interest in this suit.

Davis and Budwey, P. Q.

A Copy Teste.

NEVELL S. GREENAWAY, Clerk.

198-4wp By Ashby E. Bladen, deputy clerk.

VIRGINIA.

In the Clerk's Office of the Corporation Court of the City of Alexandria, on the 18th day of Aug., 1921.

Raymond A. Feathers, complainant vs. Marian Whiting Feathers, defendant. In Chancery No. 1770.

MEMO.

The object of this suit is to obtain for the complainant an absolute divorce from the bonds of matrimony from the defendant on the grounds of wilful and voluntary desertion and abandonment for more than three years prior to the institution of this suit and for general relief.

It appearing by an affidavit filed in this cause that the defendant Marian Whiting Feathers is a non-resident of this State: It is Ordered, That said defendant appear here within ten days after due publication of this order, and do what is necessary to protect her interest in this suit.

Colvin, Davis and Budwey, P. Q.

A Copy Teste.

NEVELL S. GREENAWAY, Clerk.

198-4wp By Ashby E. Bladen, deputy clerk.

METHODIST PROTESTANT CHURCH

North Washington Street

Rev. Robert Browne, pastor, will preach at both services on Sunday, August 21st

Morning service 11 a. m., subject
THE POWERHOUSE OF THE SOUL

Evening service 8 p. m., subject
THE MAN WHO LIVES AT SATAN'S FEET

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1—Thermax Heater	\$8.50

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CITY NEWS IN BRIEF

Mrs. Clarence French is spending several weeks in Bel Air, Maryland, before going to Atlantic City for a visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph J. Palmer, of North Beach, announce the birth of their first child, a fine 11 pound boy born July 30.

Miss Anne Cabell has returned to her home in South Alfred street, after spending the past two weeks with Miss Pat Calloway, in Norwood, Va.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Reynolds, and Mr. and Mrs. Frank T. King, and Miss Dorothy Tazewell King, left today to spend some time in Atlantic City.

Miss Eugenia Reynolds Hinemon and Miss Anila R. Judds, the latter of Hickman, Tennessee, were the guests last week of Miss Florence A. Long.

Dr. E. B. Jackson, having returned from his vacation, will conduct both morning and evening services tomorrow at the First Baptist Church.

Miss Florence Curran, Miss Marshall McChes, and Mr. Theodor R. Hayden, are spending the week end at the home of Mr. Bedford Hayden, on Broad Creek.

Mr. Walter L. Desbrow, of the Torpedo Station, who has for the past four weeks been under treatment at the Alexandria Hospital with typhoid fever, was able to leave for his home today.

Miss Dorothy Boswell and Miss Charlotte Zeviar, of Washington, who were injured in an automobile accident on August 13, are very much improved.

Don't forget the lawn party on the Queen street playgrounds Monday, August 22, at 7:30 o'clock. Come and have your fortune told.

Miss Charlotte Longbeach, of King street, is leaving today for a visit with relatives in Clark county.

Mr. Julian Beach and family have returned from their vacation which was spent in Atlantic City.

Mr. William S. Schoeni, of this city, is on a short visit with friends in Fredericksburg.

Mrs. Jennifer Broadus and family and Mrs. F. J. Broadus, of Mt. Ida, after spending some time at North Beach, Md.

Mr. and Mrs. William A. Langley, of Prince street, left today for Philadelphia and Atlantic City, and before returning will visit Mr. and Mrs. John Washco, at Camden, N. J.

Mrs. Harvey Struder, accompanied by Mrs. George White and daughter, of this city, and Mr. and Mrs. William Robey, of Washington, D. C., will leave tonight for a trip to Atlantic City.

Mrs. Rathbone Smith returned today from Ocean Grove, N. J., where she has been spending the summer and will leave next week for her home in Edmondson, Canada. She is visiting her mother, Mrs. Kate Walker Barrett.

Miss Lida McLaughlin, of this city, and Miss Corinne Wiley Moore, of Washington, D. C., and North Carolina, left today for an extended trip to Canada, going to Quebec by way of Toronto. They will return home several weeks hence by way of New York.

Miss Bertha Gray Robinson, the accomplished editor of the Orange Observer, was a caller at the Gazette office yesterday, and reports the outlook in Orange County as encouraging for the fall season. Miss Robinson is an entertaining and always-welcome visitor.

ACCOITINK NOTES

Mr. and Mrs. Webb, of Accotink, are in the birth of their first child, a fine girl of ten pounds.

Miss Alma Sheldon, of Fredericksburg, Va., is visiting her sister, Mrs. Robert Shackelford, in Accotink, Va.

The carnival at Accotink last week was well attended by soldiers of Camp Humphreys.

Mrs. Henry Shepherd is now spending her vacation at Colonial Beach.

Miss Retta Tice who has been visiting Miss Evelyn Shepherd, in Accotink, Va., left for her home in Del Ray Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Blair and mother, of Charleston, W. Va., are spending the month of August and September with her son, Clarence, at Accotink, Va.

Accotink Lodge, No. 75, holds its weekly meetings Monday evenings, which is being very well attended and several new members added weekly.

Miss Margaret Bailey, of Accotink, motored to Chesapeake Beach with Mr. and Mrs. Dove and family of Rosemont, Sunday, and Mr. Clarence Blair has purchased a Buick roadster.

Having completed the remodeling of Accotink garage, they are now able to give better service than ever as they are fully equipped with city conveniences. They are now having on sale, Ford Saxons, and Chevrolet in first class condition at reasonable prices.

Mr. and Mrs. Howe, of Washington, are spending the summer with Mr. and Mrs. H. Dunn.

At Pohick Episcopal Church there will be Sunday morning service at 11 a. m.

Mrs. George Dove entertained her daughter and friends of Washington, last Friday evening.

Pvt. Pletche who has been greatly admired by people in Accotink, was discharged Wednesday, 17th, and left immediately for his home in Philadelphia.

Mrs. Tyson Shepherd and son, left Sunday for a ten day trip to Hickdom, Va.

SPORTS

The following players names have been forwarded to the management of the Dreadnaught by Manager Jackson of the Capital City. All Stars who visit this city Sunday are: Miller, C. Flynn, Thern and Brown, pitchers; Snyder, 1st; Charlton, 2nd; Tetrault, ss.; Jackson, 3b; Watt,

rf; Costella, C. F. Knott, lf.; substitutes, Johnson, Clarke and Shalin. This team has toured the country this summer meeting the fastest teams in the country, winding up their tour on the Pacific Coast. It is undoubtedly one of the fastest and most experienced clubs that has visited this city this season, and you will make no mistake by patronizing this game Sunday at 3 o'clock at Baggett's Field. The old reliable Frye will work for the D's with Flynn, a clever left-hander, opposing him. We are endeavoring to get the best ball teams in this section for the remainder of the season, and it will pay you to come out Sunday and be convinced that this team is one of the good ones.

STANDING OF THE CLUBS.

American League.				
	Won.	Lost.	P.C.	
Cleveland	70	43	619	
New York	67	42	615	
Washington	62	54	534	
St. Louis	56	57	496	
Boston	53	58	477	
Detroit	53	58	453	
Chicago	49	64	434	
Philadelphia	42	70	375	

National League.

	Won.	Lost.	P.C.	
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Pittsburgh	74	40	649	
New York	69	47	595	
Boston	64	47	576	
Brooklyn	61	55	526	
St. Louis	56	56	500	
Cincinnati	50	64	438	
Chicago	46	68	404	
Philadelphia	36	79	313	

YESTERDAY'S RESULTS.

American League.
Washington 6, St. Louis 2.
Boston 12-0, Detroit 8-10.
Chicago 13, New York 9.

National League.
Pittsburgh 14-1, Philadelphia 3-4.
Boston 3, Chicago 2.
St. Louis 9, Brooklyn 4.
New York 8, Cincinnati 3.

GAMES TODAY.

American League.
Washington at Chicago.
Boston at Cleveland.
New York at St. Louis.
Philadelphia at Detroit.

National League.
Pittsburgh at Boston.
Chicago at Philadelphia.
Cincinnati at Brooklyn.
St. Louis at New York.

DIED

GOODRICH—On Friday, August 19, at 11:45 p. m., BENJAMIN FRANKLIN GOODRICH, in his 60th year. Funeral from his late residence, 912 Duke street, Alexandria, Va., Monday, August 22, at 4 p. m. 198-1p.

FAVOR PLAYGROUNDS

Editor, Alexandria Gazette.

Dear Sir:

When I was a boy our playgrounds were the middle of the street, and any convenient alley, but today, the children have two places where they can congregate and receive instructions. These playgrounds should receive the support of every mother and father, whose children range from 1 to 16 years of age.

I have been a constant devotee of the Friends' Playgrounds during the last two weeks and during said period the average attendance has been about 200 children per day. Don't you think it is far better to have these children off the street, where automobiles are speeding on their way? The manner in which Miss Howard has conducted these grounds, shows conclusively she is well equipped in knowledge concerning the management of such grounds. The morning period is devoted to kindergarten work, when the little ones and some big ones make a step forward, in sewing, knitting, drawing and cutting out various articles. The larger boys and girls then indulge in basketball and volley ball. There is a sliding board and swings one set for little ones and one set for large ones. The afternoon period is devoted to story telling and games for the little ones, and the larger girls play a matched basketball game with the boys. If you want to see something for nothing, come around about 6:45 p. m.

Of course there are "Knockers" and "Grouches," who would say, "Down With Playgrounds." Look them up and you will find out how they stand in the neighborhood. Why should we hesitate, to support the playgrounds and let the "Knockers" get in their work, when our children are being protected from danger and tired mothers are given what they deserve—A Rest?

The equipment of the two playgrounds is not sufficient, but it is hoped that this movement will receive support, for Alexandria has been dead long enough and it is about time we should wake up and do something. Co-operation of the mothers and fathers will make playgrounds a permanent feature in our city, and your support is requested by attendance at the lawn party Monday night at the Friends' Playgrounds on Queen street, near Washington. Proceeds of which will be used, for the benefit of the little ones, for purchase of more equipment, and a small portable house.

EPWORTH LEAGUE NOTES.

Nashville, Tenn., Aug. — "One Million Centenary Dollars by January 1922" is the slogan of Southern Methodist Sunday Schools, according to leading officials of that Church. The treasury department of the Missionary Centenary at Nashville, Tenn., outlining its inception, progress and future activity in marking significant milestones in the progress of Methodism. More than one hundred people were in the east, many of the number included Bishops, presiding elders, pastors and leading church officials.

DR. HARDING AND BRIDE TAKE UP OLD ROUTINE



Above is the first photograph of Dr. George T. Harding, father of the President, and his bride, who was Miss Alice Severns. The happy couple are continuing their ordinary duties of treating the sick in Marion, Ohio. Dr. Harding and his bride have changed nothing of their daily routine. Mrs. Harding has been her husband's stenographer and assistant for eight years, and she plans to continue aiding him in his practice.

It is said that more than fifty per cent of the 18,000 Sunday Schools in Southern Methodism have made Centenary pledges and to date they have paid on these pledges \$690,712, which is more than the whole church paid for foreign missions in the same period of time prior to the Centenary movement. An effort will be made to secure from the Sunday School at least \$1,000,000 by January 1, 1922.

"Missionary Milestones" a pageant of Methodist Missions by Mrs. C. W. Turpin Nashville, Tenn., was a feature of the great Methodist missionary conference held at Lake Junaluska, N. C. It is said that this original production was one of the most spectacular and dramatic religious presentations ever staged. It had for its theme the Missionary Centenary, outlining its inception, progress and future activity in marking significant milestones in the progress of Methodism. More than one hundred people were in the east, many of the number included Bishops, presiding elders, pastors and leading church officials.

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NEWS IN THE GAZETTE Years Ago

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FRIDAY, AUG. 20, 1813

KIMBALLS HOTEL BANQUET

Fredericksburg, Md., Aug. 12. At a banquet given at Kimball's Hotel, in honor of Colonel Pickering, Doctor Philip Thomas was made president, and Col. John McPherson, vice-president of the day. There was diffused around the board an enthusiasm of virtuous delight, which the appearance and the conversation of the principal guest and his distinguished young friends were particularly calculated to inspire. The sentiments of the company were displayed in the following:

TOASTS

1. The imperishable memory of Washington: embalm'd in the affection of every American heart.
2. The Federal Constitution: may its principles be restored, and its purposes effectuated.
3. The Chief Justice of the U. States: not more exalted by official dignity than by the pure elevation of his character.
4. The Navy: a relic of better days; and a proof of Federal wisdom.
5. Faneuil Hall: Once the cradle, now the citadel of American Independence.
6. The Rights of the Press and the Freedom of Debate.
7. A just and permanent peace: may we attain it without sending to consult Bonaparte.
8. The nations of the old world in arms against the oppressor. May they triumph equally over French force and French intrigue.
9. Our rulers have organized falsehood into a system; and federalism expects every man to do his duty without regard to clamor, cant, or personal hazard.
10. Timothy Pickering: as pure as Aristides and as inflexible as Regulus.
11. The State of Massachusetts: a polar star to the Union.
12. (By Mr. Cloppers, of Loudoun, in Va.) The Old Dominion: May the principles of Washington, her immortal son, regenerate the State.
13. The Sun of federalism—which has lately begun to rise: May it brighten from day to day until it enlightens the whole world.

A FORGERY

The letter which was said to have been written by Washington to Armstrong, and which acquits the latter of writing certain anonymous letters, and affirms that the motives of the author were just, honorable and friendly to the country, is without doubt a forgery. Judge Marshall of Virginia, states that he holds copies of all letters of moment written by Washington; that this letter was not among them, and that he had no doubt of its being a forgery.

THINGS WORTH KNOWING

(For the Gazette.)

More than 50,000 rickshaws are in use in the streets of Peking.

An authority on finance finds that only one rich man's son in seventeen dies rich.

It is computed that the average man speaks in the course of a year 11,000,000 words.

The equinoxes, or periods of equal day and night, occur about March 21 and Sept. 21.

No improvement in the method of burning locks has been found in more than a century.

Stage people regard it as unlucky to leave soap behind in their dressing rooms when on tour.

Fine-edged tools lose their temper if exposed to the light of the sun for a considerable length of time.

Those people who lack hair, according to a prominent French medical man, are the brainy folk of the world.

The vast Indian population in Mexico is almost 100 per cent flatfooted but natives think nothing of shuffling off twelve or fifteen miles in a few hours.

The word "meerschau"—the material of which pipes are made—is derived from the German "meer," meaning sea, and "schaum," meaning foam or froth—sea foam. It is hy-drated silicate of magnesium and will float on water. It is found chiefly in Asia Minor, Livadia, the island of Pubeos, and on the Scandinavian coast.

NOTICE TO ADVERTISERS.

All copy for advertisements measuring more than a quarter-page, must be in this office not later than 2 p. m. of the day preceding publication. All copy measuring a quarter-page or less, must be in this office not later than 9 a. m. of the day of publication. No exceptions to this rule will be made. 167-4f

IMPORTANT, IF TRUE!

Today's News in the Washington Herald.

The Washington Herald has four important items by telegraph in its news columns of today. They are apparent scoops and we congratulate our esteemed contemporary on its enterprise. We append the items, giving due credit to the Herald:

LIVE SNAKE FOUND IN SOFT-BOILED EGG.

Winchester, Va., Aug. 20.—A perfectly formed snake three inches long was found yesterday in the yolk of a hen's egg at Levels, W. Va., according to Dr. Hannum, physician of that place. Dr. Hannum said he visited one of his patients and prescribed a soft-boiled egg. On breaking the shell, the doctor was astonished to see the tiny snake come out. When the discovery was reported to the patient's wife she recalled having seen a blacksnake crawling from the hen's nest a day or two previous. It is thought the snake charmed the hen, thereby "marking" the egg.

SHEPHERD COW FALLS OFF "WAGON."

Winchester, Va., Aug. 20.—Moonshine stills are reported to be numerous in certain hilly sections of the lower Shenandoah Valley. Last evening another case of a cow coming home "full as a goat" was reported by Sam Lilly. He found his "sookie" near the barnyard gate, unable to move, and thinking she had been paralyzed, sent a hired man for a veterinarian, who was unable to diagnose the malady.

This morning, the cow was apparently well, and was turned into pasture. She made straight for a clump of bushes in the farthest corner of the field. Lilly followed and found the cow lapping up the dregs of a tub of "old hen."

BOLT PLAYS PRANK WITH SETTING HEN.

Martinsburg, W. Va., Aug. 20.—A few days ago Mrs. Coleman Lyne, of Middleway, near here, went into her garden to look for some eggs that were due to hatch. She found that lightning had struck a near tree and had run down the fence a short distance from the nest. In the nest was sitting the skeleton of the hen, the bones as clean as if they had been scraped, the feathers fluffed neatly back, but none of them even scorched. The eggs had not been cracked but a small hole was found in the end of each and the inside of the shell burned out as clean as a pin.

WHITE RAT AND HENS FRIENDLY.

Fredericksburg, Va., Aug. 20.—A snow-white rat, with jet black head and a black stripe down the middle of its back, was killed by W. D. Pugh on the farm of Mrs. F. A. Patton, at

Woodford, Caroline County. The rodent was discovered in a chicken house, where it was making its home with the chickens and hens. The chickens did not fear the little animal and a friendship appeared to exist between them and the rat.

STANG, IN PRISON, CLOSELY GUARDED AGAINST ATTACKS

Rockville, Md., Aug. 20.—Threats of violence against Joseph D. Stang, of Cloppers, who shot and killed Eugene and John A. Pearson, sons of Alfred Pearson, a farmer, of Poolsville, during a melee at Cloppers last evening, alleged to have been made by friends of the Pearsons today, caused the authorities at the county prison here to take added precautions to safeguard the aged prisoner against attacks.

The aged mechanic and his son, Joseph Stang, are being held at the prison pending outcome of an inquest into the death of the two men.

The inquest which was to have been held today, was postponed owing to the finding of a wound in the mouth of John A. Pearson, one of the dead men, which was believed to have been caused by a rifle bullet. The autopsy upon the bodies, which was begun last night shortly after the shooting, was therefore continued today for the purpose of ascertaining the cause for the mouth wound.

Dr. William T. Pratt, who conducted the autopsy, announced last night that the wound had apparently been inflicted by a blow from some pointed instrument as no rifle bullet could be found after a thorough probing.

Alfred Pearson, the aged father of the dead man, arrived here today to claim the bodies of his sons. He viewed the bodies at the Pumphrey morgue but refused to make any comment.

Attorney John A. Garrett, of this city, has been retained by the Stangs to defend the slayer and his son, who are alleged to have acted in self-defense. Mrs. Stang and her daughter, who are alleged to have been assaulted by the Pearsons, conferred with the attorney. Both women are suffering from painful injuries.

Francis Cahill, one of the alleged victims of the Pearsons, who is suffering from a fracture of the thigh and body injuries, is being treated at the Sandy Spring Hospital, and, being held by the authorities as a witness, is under guard.

Mr. McNab (after having his lease read over to him).—"I will not sign that! I haven't been able to keep Tea Commandments for a mansion in Heaven, an' I'm no' gaun to tackle about a hundred for two rooms in the High Street!"—London Opinion.

Policeman—"Lost yer mammy, 'ave yer? Why didn't yer keep hold of her skirt?"
Little Alfred—"I cou-cou-couldn't reach it."—London Opinion.

"I'm sorry to have to do this," said little Johnny, as he spread the jam on the baby's face, "but I can't have suspicion pointing its finger at me."—Everybody's Magazine.

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In the Corporation Court of the

City of Alexandria, Virginia.

Julia Hannon, complainant, vs.

Joseph Brewer et als., defendants.

In Chancery, No. 554.

Pursuant to and by authority of a

decree entered on the 5th day of Aug-

ust, 1920, in a certain suit in chan-

cery pending in the Corporation Court

of the City of Alexandria, Virginia,

wherein Julia Hannon is complainant

and Joseph Brewer et als., are de-

fendants, the undersigned will expose

for sale at public auction on Tues-

day, the 23rd day of August, 1921,

at twelve o'clock noon, in front of

the west entrance to the City Hall

Building, on North Royal Street,

Alexandria City, Virginia, all that lot

of ground, with the buildings and

improvements thereon, in the said

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Beginning at the intersection of

the south side of Wolfe Street with

the east side of Fairfax Street, and

running east on Wolfe street thirty

four (34) feet five (5) inches, thence

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an alley ten (10) feet wide; thence

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Murphy, N. C. Aug. 20.—Chas.

Watkins, special deputy, is dead to-

day; Allan Dean, another deputy, is

believed dying, and Ben Fox, former

county commissioner, is seriously

wounded as the result of a pitched

battle between the officers and two

alleged blockade runners near here

last night.

A posse, headed by Sheriff W. B.

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for Pearle Hall and a man named

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others. Both men are believed

wounded.

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Charlottesville, Va., Aug. 24.—The

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DISEASED LIVE STOCK

Only a few people are opposed to regulating traffic in tuberculous live stock, but their opposition is some-time effective, and several cases of the kind have been traced by the United States Department of Agriculture. However, the department believes that cattle dealers who do not favor tuberculosis eradication are influenced by selfish motives and do not represent the true spirit of live-stock owners and others interested in healthier and better domestic animals.

Although many States have suitable laws to protect farmers and other livestock owners against traffic in tuberculous animals, the practice continues in some localities. Here is an instance: In Massachusetts, a pure bred Holstein cow, valued at \$100, was disposed of as a reactor; but instead of being slaughtered or segregated, she was later sold to a State institution for \$300. The herd at this institution has previously been free of tuberculosis. It was being improved by the purchase of new animals, and every available precaution was taken to see that they were healthy. Recently this herd was re-tested and three reactors were found one of which was the cow in question. All showed well-marked lesions of tuberculosis on post-mortem examination.

There is no law or regulation in Massachusetts preventing the sale or requiring the segregation of reactors. A few cattle dealers led the opposition to a bill before the last General Court providing for the control and sale of animals reacting to the tuberculin test. Owing to the importance of eradicating tuberculosis from live stock, the Department of Agriculture is furnishing to the public full information regarding the nature of the disease and the way to get rid of it.

STATE CONVENTION—AMERICAN LEGION

Norfolk, Va., Aug. 20.—Delegates from 102 posts of the American Legion will attend the State Convention in this city, Thursday, Friday and Saturday, September 1, 2 and 3; many of them naturally will stay over until Labor Day, which is the following Monday, so that they will pass the better part of the week here.

They will be royally entertained. Local Post No. 36, is looking to that the co-operation of the various civic bodies has been sought and obtained. The Chamber of Commerce has joined hands with Post No. 36 and linked up with the Rotary, Kiwanis and Civitan Clubs. The City Government has given its formal approval and appropriated \$2,500.00 to help defray expenses.

Already an elaborate program has been outlined. The first session will be held in the Monticello Ball Room, at 10 a. m., Thursday, September 1, and it will be called with the promptitude that marks revivals. Adjournment will be at 2:30 p. m., with no excuses or apologies. This will give the delegates time to take a trip to the Naval Base on the opening day, take a trip on one of the "Nip and N" steamers to the Cape and back again and still have part of the evening left, after supper, to write home to the folks.

An outing at Ocean View Park will mark the official close of the program. This will be on Saturday, when the Convention will come

to a close. Some of the delegates have arranged to spend the week end and Labor Day at Ocean View, so that everything will work together nicely.

LAUGHS!

Teacher—"Johnny, what is steam?" Johnny—"Water crazy with the heat."—American Legion Weekly.

Appropriately enough, the sounds that come through the door labeled "Voice Cultivated" are usually harrowing.—Pittsburgh Sun.

When a woman sees a man with his collar discussing her clothes she just laughs up where her sleeve used to be.—Ann Arbor Times News.

When they won the Polo Cup, the Americans were at first elated. But then they recollected how little use there is for cups in their country nowadays.—London Opinion.

"Everybody should learn to swim." "I'll say so," replied the lifeguard. "The more some of these folks submerge, the better the ocean looks."—Washington Star.

"Who is the mysterious stranger?" "Some kind of investor." "I doubt it. He keeps pretty busy."—Detroit Free Press.

"Could I sell you Boswell's Life of Johnson, sir?" asked the book agent. "Certainly not," replied the self-made millionaire. "I'm not interested in the career of colored pugilists."—Birmingham Age-Herald.

"Did the traffic cop arrest you?" "Twice," replied Mr. Chuggins. "When I couldn't stop—he arrested me for speeding, and when I finally stopped and couldn't start he arrested me for blocking the traffic."—Washington Star.

History Professor—"How was Alexander II. of Russia killed?" Student (vaguely)—"By a bomb." Professor—"Be a little more explicit, please." Student (In desperation)—"Well, you see—he exploded."—American Legion Weekly.

Very Stout Old Gentleman—"Here, my lad, is a nickel for you. Now tell me if my shoes need polishing."—Boston Transcript.

"What'll we do with the ark now that the big trip is over?" inquired Japhet.

"My son," replied Noah, "we've had enough without starting in immediately on any shipping problems."—Washington Star.

"Your honor," said the prosecuting attorney, "your bull pup has went and chewed up the court Bible." "Well," grumbled the Court, "make the witness kiss the pup; we can't adjourn court to get a new Bible."—The Labor Clarion (London).

Wife—"Did you notice the chin-cilla coat on the woman sitting in front of us this morning?" Husband—"Er—no. Afraid I was dozing most of the time."

Wife—"Um. A lot of good the service did you."—Chicago Tribune.

Lady—"Isn't it strange that some fish are flat, and yet so many aren't?" Boatman—"Well, mum, these 'ere waters are so shallow that fishes is bound to grow flat else they'd get their backs sunburnt!"—London Passing Show.

"Did you really call this gentleman an old fool last night?" asked the judge.

The prisoner tried hard to collect his thoughts. "Well, the more I look at him, the more likely it seems that I did," he replied. —Lawyer and Banker.

"Divvie a bit do I believe the messages these mediums are after getting in from the dead," declared Dugan. "Ye can't be tellin' whether they're true or not." "Mure fool ye. Ye can, and I can prove it," contradicted Monahan. "By mistake I was reported killed entirely in the war, and one day me sister went to a medium who told her I was wishin' I was back on earth. And at that very time I was on a transport in a high sea, d'ye mind?"—The Argonaut.

A negro lad had been brought into a Virginia police court for the fifth time charged with stealing chickens. The magistrate determined to appeal to the boy's father.

"See here," said his honor, "this boy of yours has been in this court so many times charged with chicken-stealing that I'm quite tired of seeing him here."

"I don't blame you, judge," said the parent, "an 'I's tired of seein' him here as you is."

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"I has showed him de right way" said the father "but he jest don't seem to have no talent for learning how, judge; he always gets caught." —Lawyer and Banker.

A captain of an Atlantic liner was bothered by a woman passenger who was always inquiring about the possibility of seeing a whale. A dozen times a day she besought him to have her called if one hove in sight.

"But, madam," the captain asked her rather impatiently, after long suffering in silence, "why are you so eager to see a whale?"

"Captain," she answered, "my desire in life is to see a whale blubber. It must be very impressive to watch such an enormous creature cry."—Harper's Magazine.

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Charles P. Thomas, complainant vs. Clara I. Thomas, defendant. In Chancery No. 1772.

MEMO.

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It appearing by an affidavit filed in this cause that the defendant Clara I. Thomas is a non-resident of this State; It is Ordered, That said defendant appear here within ten days after due publication of this order, and do what is necessary to protect her interest in this suit.

Colvin, Davis and Budwesky, P. Q. A Copy Teste.

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It appearing by an affidavit filed in this cause that the defendant James E. Powell is a non-resident of this State; It is Ordered, That said defendant appear here within ten days after due publication of this order and do what is necessary to protect his interest in this suit.

Davis and Budwesky, P. Q. A Copy Teste.

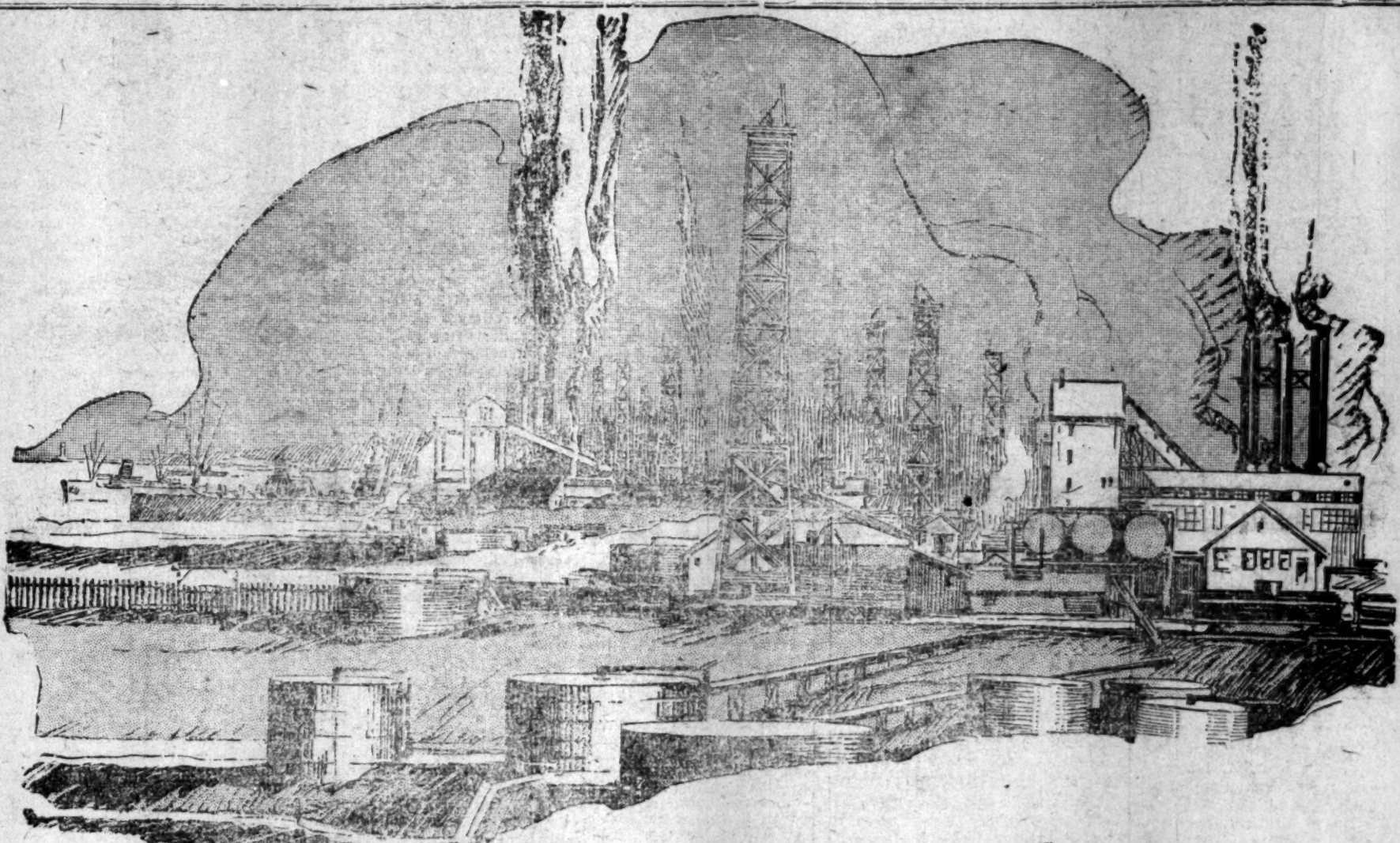
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198-4wp By Ashby E. Bladen, deputy clerk.

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James E. Powell, complainant vs. James E. Powell, defendant. In Chancery No. 1773.



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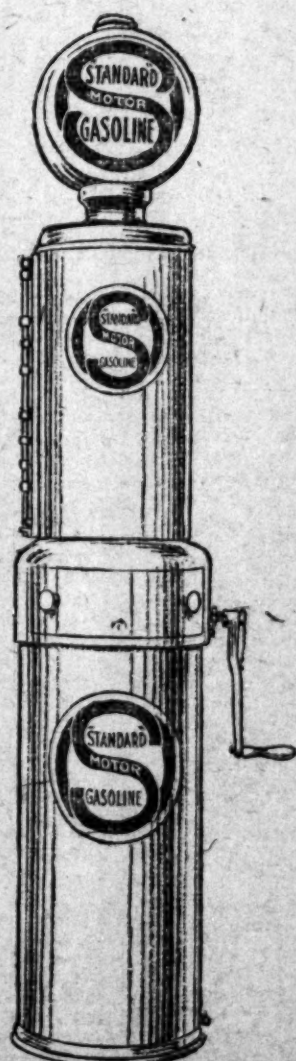
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33x4	35.35	15.75	39.25	19.30	2.80
34x4	36.10	16.50	40.10	19.80	2.91
36x4	43.60		48.15	24.12	4.90
32x4 1/2	45.00	18.50	49.90	24.95	3.40
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